Easton—Louis G. Smith Armory
WASHINGTON COUNTY Hagerstown—Randolph Milholland Armory
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WICOMICO COUNTY
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Salisbury—Blair L. Crockett Armory543-6704
ASSISTANT ADJUTANT GENERAL FOR AIR Brigadier General Donald B. Barshay (appointed by Governor)
CHIEF OF STAFF FOR AIR
Brig. Gen. Robert D. Cardwell, Jr 576-6056
BUDGET & FISCAL AFFAIRS I. J. Vaccarino, Finance Officer 576-6099
STATE PERSONNEL
James J. Nau, Personnel Officer 576-6115 PURCHASING & CONTRACTS
Elmer Keppler, Procurement Officer 576-6107
RECORDS MANAGEMENT & SPECIAL PROJECTS
Ernest M. Snyder
AGENCY (23.08.02)
FY1991 appropriation \$2,713,335 FY1991 authorized positions
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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ADVISORY
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The Maryland Charter of 1632 empowered Lord Baltimore to raise troops to put down insurrection or rebellion and subdue enemies of the province. Since that time, the training, organization, maintenance, and administration of the Maryland Militia have been an integral part of State government. The present military establishment of Maryland conforms to Title 32 of the U.S. Code and regulations issued pursuant thereto, and to the Militia Law of Maryland (Code 1957, Art. 65).

The Adjutant General heads the Military Department and exercises powers and duties under the Militia Law of Maryland. The Military Department prepares all State forms and records required for militia use and the reports and returns required by the federal government. Service records of all

officers and enlisted persons who have served or are serving in the Maryland National Guard are maintained by the Military Department as well.

The Adjutant General is responsible for the budget of the Military Department and is the custodian of all State and federal property used by the organized militia. The Adjutant General maintains all State-owned armories located in Maryland and all other properties that may be occupied, purchased, or leased by the Military Department. The Adjutant General regulates the use of such facilities; applications for their use should be made to the Adjutant General. In addition, the Adjutant General is responsible for the administration, training, and supply of approximately 9,500 National Guardsmen, including 1,519 full-time employees (253 State paid; 1,266 federally paid).

As commander-in-chief of the militia, the Governor has the power to organize and maintain additional military forces, known as the Maryland State Guard, which are separate and distinct from the National Guard. Such forces are composed of officers, commissioned or assigned, and all ablebodied citizens of the State who volunteer and are accepted for service. They may be ordered to active duty in the State by the Governor whenever the National Guard has been called into the military service of the United States. Members of the State Guard are uniformed as prescribed by the Governor, who also may reduce or disband such forces.

The Adjutant General is appointed by the Governor with Senate advice and consent. The Assistant Adjutant General for Army and the Assistant Adjutant General for Air are both appointed by the Governor (Const., Art. IX, sec. 2).

MARYLAND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

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Formerly under the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services, the State Emergency Management and Civil Defense Agency was restructured as the Maryland Emergency Management Agency in 1989 when it was made part of the Military Department (Chapter 674, Acts of 1989). The Agency derives its main purpose from the Federal Civil Defense Act of 1950 (P.L. 920) as amended. The act provides for a civil defense system to protect life and property from attack and offer relief and assistance to people struck by disasters other than those caused by enemy attack.

Known as the Maryland Civil Defense Agency from 1950 to 1970, the Agency, in its earliest years, was concerned primarily with statewide nuclear attack preparedness and related missions (Chapter